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## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners: Robert G. Taub, Acting Chairman;

Mark Acton, Vice Chairman;

Ruth Y. Goldway; Tony Hammond; and Nanci E. Langley

Market Dominant Product Prices
Inbound Market Dominant Multi-Service Agreements
with Foreign Postal Operators 1
Korea Post – United States Postal Service
Bilateral Agreement (MC2010-35)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. R2015-1

## ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TO EXISTING AGREEMENT

(Issued December 12, 2014)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Agreement) is set to expire November 30, 2015.<sup>1</sup> The Postal Service seeks to extend the Agreement pursuant to a Modification executed by the Postal Service and Korea Post.<sup>2</sup>

The Modification extends the expiration date of the Agreement until December 31, 2015. Notice at 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Order No. 2235, Order Approving Additional Inbound Market Dominant Multi-Service Agreement with Foreign Postal Operators 1 Negotiated Service Agreement, October 31, 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification Two to the Korea Post – United States Postal Service Bilateral Agreement, December 9, 2014 (Notice), at Attachment 1 (Modification).

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The Postal Service states that extending the Agreement for one additional month would allow the Agreement to correspond with its accounting practice of invoicing quarterly, rather than mid-quarterly. *Id.* 

The Commission finds that the extension will not affect the Agreement's ability to comply with 39 U.S.C. § 3622(c)(10) and 39 C.F.R. § 3010.40, *et seq.* Consequently, the Commission reaffirms its findings in Order No. 2235 and approves the Modification. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through December 31, 2015. Extending the Agreement is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person.

It is ordered:

The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through December 31, 2015.

By the Commission.

Shoshana M. Grove Secretary